#### NATIONAL FUEL GAS CO

Form 4

October 02, 2007

### FORM 4

### UNITED STATES SECURITIES AND EXCHANGE COMMISSION Washington, D.C. 20549

STATEMENT OF CHANGES IN BENEFICIAL OWNERSHIP OF

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1(b).

(Print or Type Responses)

EWING STEPHEN E			2. Issuer Name and Ticker or Trading Symbol NATIONAL FUEL GAS CO [NFG]					5. Relationship of Reporting Person(s) to Issuer		
<b>7</b>	<b>(T)</b>					(Check all applicable)				
(Last)	(First) (I		3. Date of Earliest Transaction				100			
			(Month/Day/Year) 10/01/2007					X Director Officer (give below)		Owner er (specify
(Street) 4. If Amo			. If Ame	nendment, Date Original				6. Individual or Joint/Group Filing(Check		
Filed(Mon			Filed(Mon	Month/Day/Year)				Applicable Line)		
FRANKLIN, MI 48025								_X_ Form filed by One Reporting Person Form filed by More than One Reporting Person		
(City)	(State)	(Zip)	Table	e I - Non-D	erivative	Secur	rities Acq	uired, Disposed of	f, or Beneficial	ly Owned
1.Title of	2. Transaction Date	e 2A. Deeme	ed	3.	4. Securi	ties A	cquired	5. Amount of	6. Ownership	7. Nature of
Security	(Month/Day/Year)		Date, if	· / 1				Securities	Form: Direct	Indirect
(Instr. 3)		any (Month/Do	v/Voor)	Code (Instr. 3, 4 and 5)		Beneficially Owned	(D) or	Beneficial		
		(Month/Da	y/ i ear)	(Instr. 8)				Following	Indirect (I) (Instr. 4)	Ownership (Instr. 4)
						(4)		Reported	(======================================	(======================================
						(A)		Transaction(s)		
				Code V	Amount	(D)	Price	(Instr. 3 and 4)		
Common Stock (1)	10/01/2007			A	300	A	\$ 47.07	2,046	D	

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1. Title of Derivative	2. Conversion	3. Transaction Date (Month/Day/Year)		4. Transacti	5.	6. Date Exerc Expiration Da		7. Title and Amount of	8. Price of Derivative	9. Nu Deriv
Security (Instr. 3)	or Exercise Price of Derivative Security	(i.i.dia. Dayi Teal)	any (Month/Day/Year)	Code (Instr. 8)	of	(Month/Day/) e		Underlying Securities (Instr. 3 and 4	Security (Instr. 5)	Secur Bene Owne Follo Repo Trans (Instr
				Code V	(A) (D)	Date Exercisable	Expiration Date	Title Amour or Numbe of Shares	er	

# **Reporting Owners**

Reporting Owner Name / Address	Relationships						
1 0	Director	10% Owner	Officer	Other			
EWING STEPHEN E 30520 ROSEMOND DRIVE FRANKLIN, MI 48025	X						

## **Signatures**

J. R. Peterson, Attorney in Fact 10/02/2007

\*\*Signature of Reporting Person Date

### **Explanation of Responses:**

- \* If the form is filed by more than one reporting person, see Instruction 4(b)(v).
- \*\* Intentional misstatements or omissions of facts constitute Federal Criminal Violations. See 18 U.S.C. 1001 and 15 U.S.C. 78ff(a).
- (1) Acquired through quarterly grant under the National Fuel Gas Company Retainer Policy for Non-Employee Directors.

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